

**REASONS:** Why you should trade at our store  
We are most diligent in seeking the interests of the buying public to whom we look for support. Nothing but absolutely reliable merchandise offered at any price. Every sale is backed by a guarantee of satisfaction.

**Our Great Profit Sharing Plan**

Will enable you in time to furnish your home absolutely without cost. Call let us explain the details

**GREAT LOADS OF NEW GOODS**

Continue to roll in at

**THE GOLDEN RULE STORE**

**IN FACT THEY ARE COMING SO FAST THAT WE HAVE BEEN UNABLE TO FIND TIME TO TELL YOU ABOUT THEM.**

**In Our Dry Goods Department** Hundreds of Bolts of Piece Goods  
HUNDREDS OF LOVELY TAILORED SKIRTS, JACKETS, CRAVENETTE COATS, TRIMMED AND STREET HATS, AND ALL THE LITTLE ACCESSORIES THAT HELP TO MAKE THE LADIES' WARDROBE COMPLETE.

**In Our Shoe Department** All The New and Nobby Things in Dress SHOES, STREET SHOES, OXFORDS.

**In Our Men's Department** A Complete Stock Of Men's, Youths' and BOYS' SPRING SUITS, HATS, SHIRTS, NECKWARE, AND SHOES.

**In Our Hardware Department** Pruning and Garden Tools of Every DESCRIPTION, COOKING UTENSILS, COPPER, GRANITE, and TIN WARE  
A COMPLETE LINE OF SHELF AND BUILDERS' HARDWARE.

**In Our Crockery Department** Every Thing From the Good Every Day CROCKERY AND GLASS WARE TO THE DAINTY AND BEAUTIFUL HAVILAND.

**THE GOLDEN RULE COMPANY**

1308, 1310, 1312 Adams Avenue.

Largest Store.

Smallest Prices

In a few days We will tell you something about our great spring opening.

Watch this space for full Particulars

**Sample of our Pricings**

Best calico, per yard 5c    Clothes Pins doz    2c  
Best spool Cotton    4c    Best Toilet Soaps 6br    25c  
Misses Hose 25c gr.    18c    Best laun.    7br    25c

**LOCAL ITEMS**

Sheriff Johnson had legal business at Cove today.

Attorney N. C. McLeod of Elgin came up last evening.

John Joyce was up from Baker City today.

J. T. Williamson, candidate for county judge in Union today.

C. E. Lanck of Spokane is in La Grande today.

Jas. D. Dalton of North Powder transacted business in this city today.

S. E. Harris of Walla Walla has business in this city today.

D. Belts of Pilo: Rock transacted business in this city today.

C. F. Vandewater, traveling auditor for the O. R. & N. was in the city this morning.

The youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Anderson is quite ill this week with spinal meningitis.

Asa B Thompson, former receiver at the La Grande Land Office, is over today from his Pendleton home.

Do not forget that the debate at the Opera house takes place this evening. It is worthy of your patronage.

The residence of Recorder I. R. Snook is quarantined on account of measles. However, there is only one case, a boy seven years old.

The Fair store building is being extended back, a distance of thirty feet, to the alley. This extension is made necessary to accommodate the increase of stock.

Carl Gillilan and C. R. Seitz went to Elgin this morning where they have been employed on the engineering department of the new railroad.

Robert H. Lloyd, candidate for county judge of Union county, returned to his home in Elgin today. Mr. Lloyd has spent the past week in La Grande looking after his political interests.

Ex-Governor T. T. Geer arrived in the city last night and is interviewing his friends. He is a candidate before the primaries for the nomination for governor. As this is Mr. Geer's old home, he naturally expects a good vote from Union county.

The medals that are to be awarded to the winners in the debate tonight, are on exhibition at James Smith's jewelry store. The design of the medals is unique and the workmanship of the best. The clasp holds the name plate, and has suspended to it, the medallion upon which is engraved "Debate, La Grande, March 1906." The medals are very pretty, and made of pure gold. There is nothing of the cheap order in the general appearance, and they are certainly worth much effort on the part of the contestants.

Fred Jacobs received a car load of new furniture today which he is disposing of at the Portland wholesale price less the freight. Fred needs the money and is going to have it or know the reason why.

**JUST ARRIVED**

A carload of doors and windows all sizes and kinds guaranteed first class. If you are going to build let us figure with you for anything in building material. Also a complete stock of poultry netting. Good fence and wire gates. Do not forget about our fishing tackle, you will need some soon

**22 Calibre Rifles**

I have all kinds, and prices, in proportion; the kinds that kill.

**MRS. T. N. MURPHY**

Hardware and crockery.

**OUR CITY SYSTEM**

Five rules in the new, up-to-date Red Cross drug store.

I Promptness and accuracy at all times on receiving, dispensing and delivering doctors' prescriptions and family receipts.

II Pure drugs used at all times.

III Graduated pharmacists always in attendance to fill prescriptions, wait on trade and answer telephone calls.

IV We give you what you ask for.

V Get your doctor to telephone your prescription to us and we do the rest. All we ask is a fair trial.

We want to show you.

RED CROSS DRUG STORE,  
A. C. MacLennan, Prop.

FOR RENT—Two desirable rooms near Depot St. Enquire at this office.

**SOCIETY**

The following ladies spent yesterday afternoon very informally with Mrs. G. E. McCully: Mesdames W. J. Snodgrass, Wm Ash, Gus Mo'dan, Fred Swaney, Wm Allison, E. W. Bartlett, Jay Van Buren, C. W. Moore, F. E. Moore, Z. T. Eubank and Miss Felicie L. yne.

Mrs. F. E. Moore was delightfully surprised last evening by a number of friends. Whist was played, and after the serving of the refreshments which were brought by the guests, the birthday party wound up with a Virginia reel.

**SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING**

On Thursday evening at 7 o'clock, Mar. 29th 1906, there will be held a special Meeting of the Council, in the Council room in La Grande, Oregon, for the following purposes and object:

1st. To consider a petition and proposition from the Ladies' Park Association relative to the improvement of a Public Park.

2nd. To consider propositions from the Grande Ronde Electric Co. to furnish the City with lights and water under special contract.

3d. To consider or refer to the proper committees the matters and recommendations contained in the Mayor's message as read to the Council and at the annual meeting of Mar. 19th 1906.

4th. To consider the condition and history of the Cities' financial affairs and of the City Water Works.

Respectfully submitted  
J. B. STODDARD,  
Mayor the City of La Grande



She enjoys a good meal or a dainty supper just as much as you do. If you don't believe it, just ask her to go to dinner with you at the Model Restaurant.

We take pride in serving everything "just right" and any of our patrons will tell you whether we give enough or not. Try one of our regular 25 cent dinners, served from 11:30 to 2 p. m.

**The Model Restaurant**

J. A. Arbuckle, Proprietor  
OPEN DAY AND NIGHT We sell weekly \$4.50

**SHOES**

The New Spring Styles now in  
Come and Examine

**A. V. ANDREWS,**

TAILOR and HABERDASHER

**BUY A LOT IN HOME INVESTMENT ADDITION**

Each lot nearly an acre with water right. We sell these tracts on installments

**\$25.00 CASH, AND \$5.00 PER MONTH.**

These tracts are the best bargains to be obtained in La Grande.

**La Grande Investment Co.**

We write insurance, make abstracts, and want your loans.

FOR RENT—Eight acres of land with house and orchard adjoining LaGrande. LA GRANDE INVESTMENT CO.

**PUBLISHED SUMMONS**

First Publication March 26th, 1906  
In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Union County.

J. E. Bateman, Plaintiff  
vs.  
Allen Clark, Defendant

To Allen Clark—defendant above named:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and suit on or before May 8th, 1906. And if you fail so to answer, for want thereof the plaintiff will take the judgment of said court against you for the sum of \$65.76 together with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent per annum after October 30th, 1905, together with attorney fee of \$20 and the costs and disbursements of this action, upon your certain promissory note—and also, order for sale of attached property viz—NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 & SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 Sec. 18 in Twp. 5 S. R. 35 E. W. M. to pay such judgment.

This summons is published by order of Hon. Robert Eakin, Judge of the above entitled Court made March 26th, 1906—fixing six consecutive weeks therefor—and in the La Grande Evening Observer—the first publication hereof being March 26th, 1906.

C. H. FINN,  
Attorney for Plaintiff.

**SUMMONS**

(First publication March 12th, 1906.)  
In the circuit court of the state of Oregon for Union County.

John Wilson—Plaintiff  
vs.  
C. A. Staples—Defendant

To C. A. Staples, the said defendant:

In the name of the state of Oregon, you are required to appear and answer the complaint in the above entitled cause and court on or before April 25th, 1906, or in default thereof, the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of \$87.78, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum after October 2d, 1904, together with his costs and disbursements and order for sale of attached property. This summons is served upon you by publication, in the La Grande Evening Observer, published at La Grande, Oregon, for six consecutive weeks, by order of Hon. Robert Eakin, Judge of the above entitled court, dated March 10th, 1906.

C. H. FINN,  
Attorney for Plaintiff.

**STEIN BLOCK, AND ADLER'S CLOTHING AT Wholesale Prices**

Means a great saving to the man who would dress well. We intend to discontinue our men's and Boys' department, therefore our money saving opportunities on all lines, including new spring and summer apparel, should interest every man and boy.

**READ ON**

**\$ 7.85** Will dress you with a new spring style sack, they are well worth to the wearer \$12.00

**9 75** For all wool, single square cut sack, very best of serge lining and hair cloth front. A new spring suit that any man would pay \$12.50 to \$15.00

**10.75** This line of suits contain a variety of upwards of six styles, in black and grays, chevots and finished worsteds. There are regular \$15.00, 16.50 and \$17.00 suits in this lot.

**14.00 TO 18.00** Includes the high standard clothes that you pay any reputable merchant tailor from \$30 to \$40 for. The Stein Block and Adler's suits will be found in this offer. You can save on these garments as the regular price range from \$18 to \$27

**We invite you to investigate for yourself**

Agents for the Ladies' Home Journal Patterns

**CHICAGO STORE**

Agents for the Ladies' Home Journal Patterns

LOST—On the eighteenth, a pair of gold spectacles between Christian church and National Bank. Return to Observer or owner. Reward paid.  
Mrs. JOE SPENCER.

LOST—Between Cor. 6th and P streets and White school about ten days ago, a ladies' fur collar. Please return to Observer office and receive reward.

**NOTICE**

We have made arrangements to have a special line of the season's later and entirely new Creations in Ladies' pattern and tailored hats arrive here in time for our millinery opening which will be the early part of April. Watch for announcement. THE FAIR DEPARTMENT STORE